

## CATTLE

No grade sires listed in the interest of better livestock. All dairy cattle 20 mos. of age, beef cattle 24 mos. of age, or pastured or post pastured animals of any age offered for sale, except for immediate slaughter, must have valid 30-day negative brucellosis test certificate. Contact La. Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry, P.O. Box 1951, Baton Rouge, La. 70821-1951.

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**Reg. Char.** bulls, ready for service, gentle, big, stout, clean & tested, Big Sky & Budsmayad breeding, cert. herd, \$1500/1-up. Walter Lemoine, Marksville; (318) 253-7939.

**Reg. Char.** bulls, 12-15 mos., Budsmayad & Big Sky breeding, cert. herd, \$1000/1-up. Stanley Lemoine, Plaquemine; (225) 659-7088.

**Reg. Simm.** & Simbrah cattle, heifers, bulls, prs., \$550/1-up. B. G. Denton, Jena; (318) 992-4504.

**Reg. horned & polled** Hereford bulls, 2 yrs., excel. bloodlines & EPD's, well built, thick & deep, ready for service, semen tested, Bogalusa area, \$1500/1. William Bell, New Orleans; (504) 864-1565.

**Reg. polled pb** Char. heifers, excel. EPD's, 7-9 mos., \$650/1-up. Louis Quave, Bush; (985) 886-5557 or Peter Feringa, Covington; (985) 871-0317.

**(20) Pb** Angus & Char. calves, on feed, all shots for breeding or slaughter, 400 lbs. & up, \$1/lb., at farm; 6 yr. reg. Char. bull, good EPD's, gentle, no bad habits, \$1000. Elvin Soileau, Ville Platte; (337) 363-4094.

**(2) Pb Beefmaster** bulls, 7 mos., on feed, dam is approx. 2200 lbs., \$550/1. Stanford Dominique, Dusan; (337) 873-8717.

**(1) Reg. Char.** bull, born 10/12/01, fertility tested, all shots, \$1500; (1) reg. blk. Angus bull, son of El Tigre, born 12/9/01, fertility tested, all shots, \$1500 or both for \$2800. Harry Comeaux, Arnaudville; (337) 662-3270.

**Reg. 3/8 x 5/8** Braford bulls, 2 yrs., very gentle, good disp., good conform. & color, \$1500. Larry Duhan, Kaplan; (337) 652-6200.

**Reg. 5/8 x 3/8** Braford bulls & heifers, champ. bloodlines, gain test leaders, weaned heifers, \$700/1-up, bulls, \$1500/1-up. Fred Elsing, Alexandria; (318) 442-0741 or (318) 447-1145.

**Beefmasters, high** performing, merit breeder/1991 & CFH #88-691; quality breeding age bulls, \$1600/1-up; heifers, \$1000/1-up. Mel Jackson, Alexandria; (318) 443-0203.

**Reg. Beefmaster** heifer, solid red, 9 mos., \$550; reg. Beefmaster bull, solid red, 6 mos., \$450. Farrell Woods, Gueydan; (337) 536-6845.

**Reg. red & blk.** Limousin bulls, AI by trait leading sires, heavy muscled, \$1200/1-up. Brent Deshautelle, Marksville; (318) 253-6495.

**(2) Reg. Jersey** cows, very gentle, \$1200/1. Delos Thompson, Folsom; (985) 796-9872.

**Reg. Angus** herd dispersal, AI'ded bulls, cows & calves, \$600/1-\$2500/1. Kirk Boudreaux, Carencro; (337) 896-1954.

**Reg. blk. Angus** bulls, breeding age, pasture raised, gentle, great EPD's & pedigrees, \$1200/1. John Collins, Ruston; (318) 255-3761.

**Reg. Brangus** herd bull, 8 yrs., calves to show, \$1200. J. P. Hebert, Franklin; (337) 828-1967.

**Beefmaster** bulls & heifers, \$625/1. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**Reg. Char.**, 33 yrs. of Char. breeding, Duke, Tundra, Wallstreet, Sky & Mo Ease bloodlines, cert. heard, weaned bulls, up to 24 mos., \$750/1-up; weaned heifers, up to 11 mos., \$650/1-up; bred cows, \$950/1-up. Ivy Guillot, Sr., Marksville; (318) 253-8300.

**(32) Crossbred** cows, due to calve Feb.-March to solid red Simm. bulls, \$24,000/all. Dennis Courtright, Colfax; (318) 627-5769.

**Char. bulls**, grass conversion record setter, King Grazer bloodline, multi-trait leader, LBW, 10 mos.-2 yrs., polled & very gentle, \$1000-\$1800. G. Perron, Opelousas; (337) 442-5272.

**Reg. polled** Char. bull, top herd sire, very gentle, 2 yrs., \$1400. Milo or Mary Beth Jimenez, Port Barre; (337) 948-9496 or (337) 255-1869.

**1/2 Angus, 1/2 Braford** bull, born 11/11/02, AI sire, Bon View Emulation Ext 473, \$1000. Gregory Trahan, Kaplan; (337) 367-3308.

**Char. Angus** bull, 50/50, 6 yrs., good breeder, approx. 1800 lbs., smoke colored, \$800. Milburn Noel, Arnaudville; (337) 945-6015.

**Reg. Char.** bulls, multi-trait leader bloodlines, LBW, very gentle, \$1000/1-up; pairs, \$1250/1-up; open heifers, \$650/1-up. H.H. Meyers, Harrisonburg; (318) 744-5970.

**Reg. blk. Simm.** bull, ready for service, very gentle, calving ease EPD, 21 mos., polled, wh. faced, 6 frame, performance proven genetics, cert. herd, \$1500. Louis Wittie, Hammond; (985) 345-6748.

**Reg. Angus** bulls, EXT & 2418 sons, pasture cond., EPD's avail., 1-3 yrs., \$1000, \$1600 & \$2500. Mark LeJeune, Elton; (337) 526-3520 or (337) 584-2912.

**BBU Beefmaster** bull, born 4/8/03, \$500. Betty D'Augereau, Kaplan; (337) 643-1724.

**(4) Brangus** bulls, 3 yrs., \$1500/1. John Boudreaux, Abbeville; (337) 893-6743.

**Reg. polled** Hereford bulls, 14-20 mos., out of national trait bloodline leaders, LBW, high wean. & yrlg. weights, bulls, \$1000/1; heifers, \$750/1. Wesley Coffman, Leesville; (337) 239-2255.

**(28) Reg. Char.** bulls, 17-24 mos., younger bulls, all very gentle, very good pedigrees, \$1200/1,

older bulls, \$1500/1. Max King, Choudrant; (318) 513-2103 or (318) 548-8302.

**Reg. blk. Simm.** bulls, 15-16 mos., by Black Zinger, \$1500. Bill Fuller, Kinder; (337) 738-2522 or (337) 224-4560.

**(20) Reg. Brangus** bulls, 15 mos., \$1500/1; (35) reg. yrlg. Brangus bulls, \$1350/1; (65) reg. comm. females, 3 yrs. & older, \$825/1 or \$750/1, if all taken; (35) blk., blk. baldy & red baldy heifers, 15 mos., \$725/1. Ronnie Link, Evergreen; (318) 939-2409.

**Brangus & Braford** type crossbred heifers, bred to Angus bulls, to begin calving late Jan., \$900/1-up; reg. Angus bulls, \$1100/1-up. Ed O'Neal, DeRidder; (337) 463-3946.

**Polled Simm.** & Simbrah bulls, solid colors, red & blk., very gentle, all shots, wormed, 9 mos.-3 yrs., \$550-\$1150/1. Harold Landreneau, Eunice; (337) 457-0505.

**Blk. Simmental** bull, polled, AI son of LRS Big Country 37E, 4 yrs., good EPD's, good calving ease, calves to show, \$1700. Jeanette Landreneau, Eunice; (337) 457-0505.

**Herd reduction**, several reg. BBU Beefmaster bred cows, some w/calves, \$700-\$750/1; reg. BBU Beefmaster bulls, good bloodlines & conform., \$850/1. Gaston Gerald, Greenwell Springs; (225) 654-8816.

**Reg. polled** Hereford bull, 22 mos., stout, long & deep, Beartooth performer, Knockout & Fast Trak breeding, \$2000. Greg Parrish, St. Martinville; (337) 369-3802.

**Reg. Brangus** bull, 3 yrs., Brinks bloodline, big, gentle, calves to show, \$800. Robert Coleman, Franklin; (985) 848-9714.

**(2) Reg. blk.** Angus bulls, 2 1/2 yrs., \$1400/1, discount if both taken. T. O. Harrison, Montgomery; (318) 646-3331.

**4 Yr. pb** Limousin bull, \$1000. Donald Romero, Iowa; (337) 588-4278.

**Polled Hereford** bulls, 8 mos.-1 yr., excel. quality, gentle, great EPD's, heavy weaning weights, \$500-\$800. Laura Hughes, Zachary; (225) 658-5348.

**Polled Santa** Gertrudis bull, born Sept. '02, top show stock, \$1500. Ronald Burliegh, Church Point; (337) 942-2477.

**Reg. red** Angus bulls, 12-14 mos., all AI top bloodline bulls, \$1000. Jim Ortego, Carencro; (337) 278-1183 or (337) 896-7551.

**(5) Reg. Angus** bulls, 20-24 mos., raised on pasture, w/limited feed, \$950-\$1450. Errol Aymond, Effie; (318) 253-8235.

**(18) Brangus** heifers, top quality, bred to LBW reg. Angus bulls, larger frames, vacc., very gentle, sell any amount, \$850/1. Ralph Robinson, Ida; (318) 284-3530.

**Reg. blk. Angus** bulls, 8 mos., \$550. Clinton Breland, Angie; (985) 848-9213.

**Reg. Angus** cows, exposed to reg. Angus bull since 12/21/03, \$750/1-up. L.D. Lacour, Jr., Robert; (985) 345-0441.

**BBU reg. Beefmaster** bulls, 20 mos., red, excel. cond., \$800; pb heifer 6-12 mos., not reg., \$500.

Waldo Thibodeaux, Lafayette; (337) 235-4587 or (337) 332-3531.

**Reg. red** Angus bull, 3 1/2 yrs., a Robin Hood bull, \$1500. Sam Zaunbrecker, Eunice; (337) 550-0190.

**Reg. Angus** bulls, large framed, 2 yrs., most are AI sired, gentle & ready for heavy service, \$1450/1-up; females, \$900/1-up. LeMar DePhillips, Husser; (985) 748-7298.

## HORSES, MULES & JACKS

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**AQHA reg.** gray filly, 10 mos., good bloodlines, gentle, halter broke, \$750. B. Harris, Baton Rouge; (225) 769-2978.

**1999 AQHA** reg. bay geld., sire Down Home Dash, barrel horse, good in alley, no bad habits, ready to show, started in breakaway roping, \$6500. Gale Landry, Franklin; (337) 276-6932 or (337) 519-9534.

**RTW weans.**, yrlgs., mares & geld., pal., blue roan, buckskin, blk., sorrel, bay & spotted, \$1000/1-up. L. D. Spears, Dry Creek; (337) 328-7365.

**5 Yr. bay** gaited geld., travels well, very gentle, 14 hands, \$900. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen; (225) 627-4630.

**2003 APHA** reg. paint filly, flashy & full of color, muscular & well defined, great 4-H prospect, \$850. Owen Begnaud, Lafayette; (337) 235-5894.

**Male donkey**, 5 mos., weaned, very cute & gentle, light gray, \$150. Billy Weatherford, Leesville; (337) 238-4803.

**AQHA foundation** bred weans., 2 & 3 yrs., some are broke & ready for intensive training, also foundation mares in foal, \$950/1-up. Errol Aymond, Effie; (318) 253-8235.

**54" Mule**, gaited, trails, parades, coon, hog, gentle for anyone, clips, shoes & loads, 9 yrs., \$1250. Jim White, Castor; (318) 544-2356.

**Reg. QH bay** filly, foaled 3/27/03, 13.9 hands, foundation bred, very gentle disp., halter broke & trailer loads, bathe, trim w/clippers & work hooves easily, \$1500. Lynette Kleinpeter, Ethel; (225) 683-5187.

**Reg. QH bay** stallion, foaled 4/18/02, 13.1 hands, foundation bred, extra gentle disp., halter broke & trailer loads, can trim w/clippers, bathe & work hooves easily, \$1500. L. Kleinpeter, Ethel; (225) 683-5187.

**TW pal. mare**, 7 yrs., bred to reg. TW stud, smooth riding, \$1100. Gerald Scott, DeRidder; (337) 328-8238.

**2003 AQHA** pal. stud, sire Bubba Gay Holly Bars, Gay Holly Bars, Gay Bar King, dam Melon

Kali Dude, Stampede Dude, Blondy's Dude, born 6/23/03, \$7500. Charles Seal, Oakdale; (318) 748-8572.

**1994 APHA** tobiano stallion, good disp., easy going, all shots, 14.5 hands, sorrel & white, (1) blue eye, \$2000. Oneil Leblanc, Jeanerette; (337) 276-5989.

**Reg. pb Arabian** stallions, mares, colts & fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodstock, Ibn Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$500 introductory fee. Jeff Dupre, Washington; (337) 585-2642.

**Reg. TWHBEA**, 20 mos., stud colt, blk., w/4-wh. stockings, \$1200; reg. TWHBEA, 7 mo. filly, blk., \$1200. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; lois\_rodrigue@bell-south.net or (225) 265-4654 or (504) 289-0923.

**AQHA 1D** barrel & pole horse, 12 yr. chestnut mare, seasoned & automatic on both poles & barrels, \$5000. Patti Thompson, Springfield; luckyt@charter.net or (225) 294-7976.

**Reg. gray TW** filly, 19 mos., reg. gray TW stud, 17 mos., reg. TW, 20 mos., blue roan sabino geld., \$1500/1 or \$3600/all. Shonnie Dove, Winnsboro; (318) 435-2217.

**Buckskin mare**, 14.2 hands, 7 yrs., sound, gentle, good trail horse, \$1500. Billy Doiron, Walker; (225) 665-4455.

**(2) Pr. mules**, w/harnesses & wagons, lg. pr. complete, \$5500; Haflinger pr. complete, \$3000. Buddy Eznack, Ball; (318) 640-0847.

**2002 AQHA** stallion, sorrel w/flax main & tail, gentle, green broke, Peppy San Badger, Peppy's Lena, Gay Bar King, Zantanon H, foaled 5/15/03, \$1500. Lawrence Fontenot, Reeves; (337) 666-2798.

**2001 AQHA** bay mare, well started to go pleasure & judged events, Doc O'Mos & Simply Hot breeding, \$5500. Kelly Parrish, St. Martinville; (337) 229-3093.

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**Reg. miniature** mares, fillies, studs & colts, AMHA, AMHR, \$350/1-up. Homer Cunningham, Albany; (225) 567-3522.

**Gray stallion**, Ima Cool Eyecatcher, easy to handle, broke to ride, \$6500; Doc's Sug broodmare, 2/1, \$1000; Blondy's Dude broodmare, 2/1, \$1000; gray wean. filly, Queen Smooth Run, sire Ima Cool Eyecatcher, \$800. Billy Jarrell, Pine Grove; (225) 777-4484.

**AQHA proven** son of Special Effort, fillies & colts, 1-3 yrs., out of Blondy's Dude mares, all horses microchipped, \$750/1-up, plus transfer fees. David Perkins, Braithwaite; (504) 682-2467.

**1995 AQHA** bay geld., started on timed events, good disp. & temperament, \$2200. Caroline Heintz, Covington; (985) 892-2675.

**Reg. Belgian** mare, 17.2 hands, 2000 lbs., works & rides, \$3500; reg. spotted Draft mare, blk./wh. tobiano, 16 hands, 1500 lbs., works & rides, bred to Ch. Percheron, \$5000; (4) ½ Belgian, ½ QH, '03 foals, buckskin, paint & sorrels, \$500/1-up. Ben Baggett, Mittie; (337) 639-2086.

**Miniature horses**, mares & foals, \$475/1-up; Clydesdale mare, \$295. A. B. Morris, Kentwood; (985) 229-6655.

**Beautifully gaited**, mature Paso Fino geld., strawberry roan, Slidell area, \$1000. Bruce Wallis, New Orleans; (504) 483-7775.

**AQHA sorrel** yrlg. stud colt, Peppy Doc Again, Special Effort, Blondy's Dude, excel. conform., \$1500. Gerald Ducote, Simmesport; (318) 941-2748.

**Pb Arabian** stallion, 4 yrs., \$4000, boarding avail. Veronica Ryan, Slaughter; (225) 658-5291.

**1999 APHA** red dun tobiano stallion, good disp., easy to handle & rides well, Young Guns, CC Bandit, Docs Poco Doc & Frecka Lena Bar bloodlines, colts to show, \$2500. Ricky Farbe, Simmesport; (318) 941-2259.

**1999 AQHA** gray geld., Docs Buddha x Go Man Go grandson, good handle, ranch or barrel horse, \$3500; '99 AQHA bay geld., ranch horse, very gentle, \$3000. John Boudreaux, Abbeville; (337) 893-6743.

**AQHA 21 mo.** pal. geld., (3) wh. stockings, w/blaze, flashy, heavy muscle, \$2000. David Grass, Folsom; (985) 796-3522 or (985) 373-2805.

**2002 AQHA** Snorty Lena, filly, \$2250; '02 Snorty Lena, colt, \$1500; '01 Dulces Peppy filly, \$1750; Sonita's Last & Tenino San granddaughter, \$2750. Charles Champagne, Cut Off; (985) 632-3389.

**QH mare**, 3/19/98, sorrel w/blaze, Heza Bold Me Two sire, Impressive Jet Leo bottom, \$1000; QH geld., blaze, (2) rear socks, 3/21/97, 16+ hands, strong build, green broke, Heza Bold Me Two sire, Impressive Jet Leo bottom, \$1500. B. Alost, Natchitoches; (318) 201-6085.

**Reg. Welch** stallion, 5/15/03, blaze, (2) rear socks, stallion prospect, \$1500 firm. Bobby Alost, Natchitoches; (318) 201-6085.

**Miniature horses**, AMHA colts, stallions, fillies & mares, \$800/1-up. Karin Santangelo, Lakeland; (225) 627-4164 or (225) 291-9999.

**2002 AQHA** geld., (2) Strait Silver's, super nice, very athletic, good disp., started ground working, sire is the \$46,000 stud from the Four 6's Ranch in Texas, only (1) will sell, \$1700. Wayne Mouch, Addis; (225) 322-6100 or (225) 776-1688.

**1993 AQHA** sorrel mare, Doc's Sug x Sport Model, use mare for penning cows & hunting, 90 days pro cutting training as a 2 yr., ride or raise babies, \$1800. Louis Mouch, Brusly; (225) 749-2140.

**1993 AQHA** chestnut stud, Mr. San Peppy, Puddenhead Cherry Dexter breeding, fillies for sale, sorrel, chestnut, grullo, out of Skipper W bred pal. stud, \$900/1-up or trade. Roderick Soileau, Ville Platte; (337) 363-4358.

**AQHA bay** mare, in foal to muscular reg. red roan App. stallion, mare dbl. bred King bloodline, very gentle, mare & foal, \$1250. Kaitlin Champagne, New Iberia; (337) 364-1398.

**4 Yr. gray geld.**, very gentle, 14.2 hands, 900 lbs., very stout, good handle, rides, works cattle, trail rides, \$1500. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; (337) 652-6200.

**AQHA 3.5 yr.** mare, wonderful youth horse, started on cattle & on barrels, neck reins, trailer loads, awesome mare, easy to handle, wonderful breaks, great bloodline, \$2000. P. Thompson, Springfield; luckyt@charter.net or (225) 294-7976.

**AQHA chestnut** filly, Zips Chocolate Chip, Doc Bar, Page Steel, Doc Bar bloodline, outstanding filly w/winning bloodline, \$1800. J. Thompson, Springfield; luckyt@charter.net or (225) 294-7976.

**AQHA IF 6 yr.** liver chestnut mare, great kid's horse, W. Pleasure prospect, easy breeder, foaler of (3) foals, Zips Chocolate Chip, Doc Bar, Zippo Pine Bar, can be sold w/a breeding to an IF nominated stallion in '04, \$3500 nego. Jim Thompson, Springfield; luckyt@charter.net or (225) 294-7976.

**AQHA foundation** bred mares, 1, 2 & 15 yrs., buckskin, sorrel & dun, King, Leo, Dry Doc, Puddenhead, Sugar Bars, \$800/1-up. Charles Casanova, Holden; (225) 294-2585.

**Wanted:** a child friendly horse, granddaughter's horse died. Donald Sonnier, New Iberia; (337) 364-3825.

## STALLION SERVICE

**AQHA pal.**, Doc Bar, Peppy San, Puddenhead, Barpass Myers, King P-234, \$350/\$3 mare care. Earlin Gautreaux, Carencro; (337) 896-8457.

**Blk./wh. App.**, Cooterville Echohawk, Geronimo Wapiti, Mansfield Comanche, Puddenhead, King P-234, \$200/\$3 mare care. Hermina Gautreaux, Carencro; (337) 896-8457.

**Reg. TWHBEA, SSHBEA**, 16 hands, blk./wh. tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; lois\_rodrigue@bell-south.net or (225) 265-4654 or (504) 289-0923.

**Reg. pb Arabians** at stud, Egyptian/Spanish bloodlines, show quality, blk., 15.2 hands, excel. temperament, foals to show & for sale, \$500/up. Donavan Stoute, Opelousas; (337) 585-2642.

**AQHA, PHBA** pal. stallion, sire Mr. Golden Dish, Artic Blizzard, dam Skipas Foxy Lena, Fox Quest, \$300. Charles Seal, Oakdale; (318) 748-8572.

**AQHA gray** stallion, own son of Smart Little Pistol, out of a Peppy San Badger mare, unbelievable athlete, \$300. Lorry Dupuy, Thibodaux; (985) 448-1212.

**Smart Zan Lena**, son of Smart Lil Lena, 743000, out of Sparkle Suzanna, 3x world champ, \$75000 LTE, athletic as they come, \$750/\$8 mare care. Kevin Simoneaux, Opelousas; (337) 942-1880.

**AQHA chestnut**, (4) wh. stockings & blaze face, grandson of (2) top sires, Peppy San Badger & Doc's Sug, offspring has produced over \$30,000,000, \$250/\$3 mare care. Billy Deshotel, Brusly; (225) 749-4686.

**AQHA Royal** Gypsy Lena, Perlino stallion out of North Dakota, incredible breeding including, Doc O'Lena, Gay Bar King, King Fritz, will produced color on solid mares, 100% guaranteed, \$450/\$5 mare care. Jane Rhodes, Loranger; (985) 878-4151.

**AQHA, Sassy** Doc Box, Sassy Doc, Doc Bar, on top & bottom, Old Soul, King & Leo, \$500/\$5 mare care. John McDaniel, Cameron; (337) 775-7446 or (337) 912-3018.

**AQHA sorrel** stallion, Shining Spark, Royal Silver King, Peppy San Badger & Organ Grinder bloodlines, \$325 reg. mares, \$200 non-reg. mares. Paul Fontenot, Mamou; (337) 468-2981.

**8 Yr. grandson** of Puddenhead, according to AQHA there are only (2) grandsons of Puddenhead stallions remaining, bay, star, great disp., \$400/\$4 mare care. Jeannette Bucklin, Jennings; www.quarterhorse.com, (337) 824-1642.

**Doc Fitz son**, Doc Bar grandson, Mr. San Peppy, Rey Del Rancho, great grandson, will show NCHA '04, \$500; Doc Bar, Flying Bob, Raisin San, Lee Cody bloodline, blood bay, finished head & heel horse, \$300 reg., \$200 grad mares, pasture bred only, no mare care. Joe Ainsworth, Georgetown; (318) 827-9457.

**Cream buckskin**, Poco Bueno & Bogie Black great grandson, sire is NCHA money earner, will show in futurity 2004, \$7000; Poco Bueno grandson top, great grandson bottom, Wimpy & King great grandson, NCHA money earner, \$500, pasture bred only. J. Ainsworth, Georgetown; (318) 827-9457.

**Homozygous APHA** blk./wh. Skip-N-King, homozygous for paint & tobiano babies, reg. mare, \$350; grade mare, \$250. Beverly Bertrand, Branch; (337) 684-3028 or (337) 580-0161.

## SHEEP & GOATS

**Full grown** billy, excel. breeder, very gentle, \$60; (1) baby Pygmy male, very cute, \$40. Ronnie Saccaro, Baton Rouge; (225) 261-6097 or (225) 261-3832.

**IBGA reg.** Boer, 100% buck, '98, correct color, \$250. Mary Rudesill, Pearl River; (985) 863-2155.

**Large 2 yr.** Suffolk ram, \$150, or trade for Katahdins of equal value, w/at least (1) male. Morris Pitre, Opelousas; (337) 543-7289.

**100% Boer** male goat, kids to show, \$175. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**(1) Nigerian dwarf** billies, NGDA reg., 2 ½ mos., (1) naturally polled, (1) isn't polled, \$75/1. J. Knight, Angie; (985) 848-1412.

**FG, IBGA reg.** Boer goat w/papers, (1) buck born 3/9/03, Stones Martin & Mago bloodline, \$225/1. Murphy Stelly, Carencro; (337) 896-6016.

**Katahdin** ewes & rams, 11 mos., reds & whites, heavy, good bloodline, \$100-\$125/1. George Lanclos, Opelousas; (337) 948-9396.

## LIVESTOCK DOGS

Only trained farm stockdogs or offspring from trained stockdogs are eligible to be advertised. Include dog's breeding and special training or ability that qualifies it as a stockdog. A signed statement must accompany each notice indicating these facts before the ad can be published.

**(5) Pb Border** Collie pups, out of working stock, wormed & ready to go, \$50/1. Randy Thornton, Urania; (318) 495-3209.

**ABCA Border** Collie pups, short & long hair, various colors, sire works, 1st shots given, (3) males, (2) females, born 10/9/03, \$300/1. Cecillia Vanderlick, Alexandria; (318) 443-3171.

**Reg. Border** Collie, 3 yrs., will work cattle, sheep & goats, has place in cow dog trials, \$1000. Lucien Cooper, DeQuincy; (337) 786-7751.

**(5) Catahoula dogs**, working cattle & hogs, will show working, \$300/1-up. Lawrence Fontenot, Reeves; (337) 666-2798.

**(2) Working Great** Pyrenees fixed males, (1) 3 yrs., (1) 1 yr., raised w/sheep, goats & fowl, sold as pr. only, \$225. Mark Lumetta, Amite; (985) 748-6257.

**CKC Jack** Russell pups, \$250/1; CKC toy rat terrier, \$125. Filton Miller, Church Point; (337) 873-6612.

**AKC/UKC** Choc. Lab pups, (2) males, born 10/15, sire is HR champ., hips & eyes cert., \$500. Jennifer Young, Zachary; 225-445-5012 or 225-654-3264.

**Reg. male** red Heeler, 5 yrs., excel. health, current on shots & heart worm meds., proven stud, must sell, \$100. Linda Cowan, Zachary; (225) 654-5827.

## SWINE

**#1 Hogs**, 180-260 lbs., \$99/1-up; feeder pigs, \$35/1-up; hogs, 90-150 lbs., \$67.50/1-up, all grain fed. Cindy Smith, Bogalusa; (985) 735-9671.

**Sept. & Oct.** gilts & barrows, York crosses, butts, grooved top, good for Southern show, others avail., \$150/1; mid-Sept. Hampshire cross boars by 99, big butts, great groove down top, use as boars or Southern show, \$200/1. D. Woodman, Elmer; (318) 793-2532.

**Sept. Duroc** boars, sire Just Perfect (\$145,000), STC champ., dam won grand champ. In show at Houston, tall w/big butts, \$175/1-up. Don Woodman, Elmer; (318) 793-2532.

## DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**Finches, society**, \$5/1; zebras, \$10-\$15/pr.; male orange weavers, \$25/1; male red-faced stars, \$50/1; blk.-hooded nuns, \$25/1; gouldians, \$130-\$250/pr. Mary Perez, Galliano; (985) 632-8580.

**Blue & Gold** macaws, (3) breeder prs., \$1200/pr. or trade for Congo grays, cockatoos or eclectus. Lennis Hebert, Duson; (337) 981-0574.

**Indian ringneck** parakeets, '03 blue white-head lacewing, \$300/1; '03 & '02 violets, \$1800/1; breeder male Hyacinth macaw, \$6000. Kent Benton, Livingston; (225) 686-0248.

**Lovebirds**, peach-faced, mask, violet, \$25-\$55/1; Java rice birds, \$25/1, discount if volume taken; ringneck doves, \$12-\$20/pr.; parakeets, \$12. Becky LaFleur, Ville Platte; (337) 363-1625.

**Mexican dbl.** yellow-head Amazon, \$700; lesser sulfur-crested cockatoo, \$1200, both tame & talking, w/cage. Lenny Cardenal, Harvey; (504) 341-0643.

**Violet-blue** masked lovebirds, \$200-\$300/1; lineolated parakeets, dk. green, turquoise, cobalt, lutino & creamino, \$250-\$450/1, all banded & DNA sexed, sweet, hf lutino lineolated parakeet, 8 wks., \$450. Glenn Allen, Gonzales; hi.skip@cox.net or (225) 644-1908.

**Parrots, breeder** prs., Mexican redheads, \$600; orange wings, \$350. Ricky LoBell, Prairieville; (225) 715-9218.

**Diamond doves**, blue-wh. tail, silver-wh. tail, cinn.-wh. tail, yellow-wh. tail, yellow, red, all closed banded, \$20/1-up, will ship. Mervin Faul, Iowa; (337) 582-6674.

**Ringneck dove**, normals & wh., \$5 & \$7.5/1; proven mated prs., \$20 & \$30/pr., will ship. Thomas Rowell, Crowley; (337) 783-5729.

**Quaker parrots**, blue, \$425; blue split to blue pr., \$675; blue female, \$475; dk.-eyed cinn. blue female Quaker, 10 mos., \$750; dk.-eyed cinn. blue male, 10 mos., \$2000. Carol Phillips, Logansport;

www.cdaviary.com,  
cdaviary@msn.com or (318) 697-7241.

**Green-cheek** split fallow, \$75/1; Alexandria females, \$250/1; cockatiel, \$30/1. Joseph Boons, Eunice; (337) 457-2898.

**Wanted:** ringneck doves, quantity of normal colored ringnecks, no pids, no exotic colors, call with number if birds avail. & price. Thomas Rowell, Crowley; (337) 783-5729.

**Wanted:** Congo gray prs., cockatoo prs., eclectus prs., will trade blue & gold macaw breeder prs. Lennis Hebert, Duson; (337) 981-0574.

## POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

**Chukar**, fully mature & flight cond., \$6/1; mallard ducks, babies to mature flyers, \$3.50-\$8.00/1. Jennifer Young, Zachary; (225) 654-3264 or (225) 445-5012.

**Bantam roosters**, mixed colors, \$3/1. A. P. Collins, Opelousas; (337) 942-6236.

**Bobwhite quail**, \$3/1 or \$2.5/1 for 100 or more. James Madere, Hahnville; (985) 783-6367.

**Pharaoh quail**, chicks, 25¢/1; adults, \$1.5-\$2/1; Texas A&M wh., 25¢/1; fertile eggs, 10¢/1; non-fertile eggs, 6¢/1. Patti Arnold, Cecilia; (337) 667-6632.

**Barred Rock** range chickens, chicks & fertile eggs, chicks 1-10 wks., \$1/1, plus 25¢ for each add. wk.; fertile eggs, \$2/doz. Keiffer Meyers, Baker; (225) 261-9533.

**Barred rock** pullets, sex link & pullets, \$7/1; grown hens, \$5.5/1. Floyd Cook, St. Amant; (225) 675-2674 or (225) 622-6188.

**Baby chicks**, \$1.5/1; young pullets, \$3/1; laying hens, \$6/1. G. Oestricher, Lacombe; (985) 882-7598 or (985) 640-7647.

**Bobwhite**, \$2.5 & \$3/1; pheasants, \$8 & \$10/1. Geraldine Janise, Church Point; (337) 684-6871.

**Old English** game bantams, (2) pr., gold duckwing, \$25/pr.; (2) trios, blk., \$35/trio. Hugh Junca, Franklin; (337) 923-7223.

**Super large** quail hatching eggs, \$25/100, plus \$12 S&H; live birds, 75¢/1-up; \$25/doz. G. R. Chauvin, Schriever; (985) 448-3360.

**Pharaoh, golden** manchoero & wh. quails, newly hatched to grown, eggs, \$15; dozen live, \$18; dozen dressed, \$24; pickled eggs, \$4/pt. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte; (337) 363-7176.

**Fawn runners**, \$15/pr; muscovy ducks, (1) drake, (5) hens, \$40/all. Sterling Bergeron, Houma; (985) 804-6050.

**Wanted:** plastic cages for hauling chickens or pigeons, any quantity. Lynn Knight, Pineville; (318) 449-9890.

**Wanted:** male Canadian goose, 1 yr. or older, near Hammond. Joseph Constanza, Hammond; (985) 345-6743.

**Wanted:** young pullets, Rhode Island reds, barred rocks, buff orpingtons or dark Cornish or mixed. Luke Begnaud, Arnaudville; (337) 754-5640.

## PIGEONS

**Arc angels**, mookes, pheasant pigeons, helmets, oriental frills, white homers, \$5/1. Floyd LeBouef, Church Point; (337) 684-2251.

## DEER & EXOTICS

**Rocky mountain** elk, male & female, 18 mos.-4 ½ yrs., \$800/1-up. Ivan Edwards, Sr., Ringgold; (318) 894-9586.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Pet & show** quality Dutch Netherland dwarf, dwarf Hotot bunnies, pedigrees avail., \$10/1-up. Joe E. Gardner, Bernice; (318) 285-0329.

**Wanted:** rabbits, preferably NZ, Calif. & mixed breeds, 8 lbs. & up. Wade Rodi, Braithwaite; (504) 682-0726.

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Blue Catfish**, 25¢/1; channel catfish, 20¢/1; bluegill, 20¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 25¢/1; Chinquapin, 25¢/1; blk. crappie, 30¢; bass, 50¢/1-up; koi, 50¢/1-up, del. avail. David Lowe, Minden; (318) 377-1525.

## RURAL PROPERTIES

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**10 Acres**, located 4 miles east of Eunice, \$5000/acre. Gwyn Kirby, Denham Springs; gwyn@beatle-mail.com or (225) 665-4413.

**Wanted:** 50-100 acres, timberland in southwest or west central Louisiana. Wayne Fontenot, Orange, TX; (409) 746-2158.

## FARM SERVICES

**Seven Star** stables, full or partial board, clean & hazard free facility, located 10 minutes from Port Allen off Hwy. 190, 60+ acres for riding. Chris or Donna Leger, Plaquemine; (225) 687-2047 or (225) 776-2843.

**We crack** pecans, fast friendly service, 30¢/lb. Jennifer Young, Zachary; 225-654-3264 or 225-445-5012.

**Farmers, ranchers & landowners**, do you need old fences

reworked or new built, I do it all, barb, net, board, pipe etc., references provided, free estimates. Ben Baggett, Mittie; (337) 639-2086.

**Protect your** investment & your friend, freeze branding now avail., ID that is humane & visible year round, \$45. Kim Ballard, Cade; (337) 344-3171.

**We buy**, sell, train & board horses and give lessons. Russ Mixon, Pride; russmixon1@cox.net or (225) 654-9254.

## SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

**2003 Hot Peter** pepper seeds, \$1/100-seed pkt., w/SASE. Cleveland Guidry, 918 E. Ash Street, Crowley, LA, 70526; (337) 783-2042.

**Birdhouse & dipper** gourds, cushaw green stripe, reg. green & long green eggplant, 8" long, cayenne pepper, \$1.5/30 seeds, w/SASE. James Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**Long, rd. & oblong** green & blk. elongated eggplants, Peter, birds-eye, aconcagua & giant bell peppers, \$1.5-\$20 oz.; rice paper plants, \$8/1; sweetheart pink rose, \$10/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, LA, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

## TREES & FRUITING VINES

**Pecan trees**, Sumner, 3 yrs., 10-gal., \$35/1, 9 only; river birch, cypress & Southern magnolia, 3-gal., \$8/1. James Robin, Sr., Opelousas; (337) 407-0188.

**Fig trees**, 2 yrs., \$9.5/2-gal., at place, 10 varieties, SASE for list, will ship dormant, \$12 S&H included. Betty Robin, 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**Fancy red bush** cherry bush seeds, \$1/5, w/SASE; wh. & yellow peach, \$5/1-up; Mamou bush, \$8/1; loquats, \$2-\$8/1; native persimmons, \$5/1-up. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, LA, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

**Mayhaw trees**, large fruited varieties, also red mulberry, crabapple, Chickasaw plum, Catalpa, native magnolia, \$7-\$25/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; (225) 686-0248.

**Cypress tress**, 4'-5', \$10/1. D. Bordelon, Ponchatoula; (985) 345-4280.

**Japanese plum**, Japanese yew, Celeste & brown turkey fig, Southern magnolia, Chinese fan palm, dwarf pomegranate, butia palm, \$8/3-gal.; amaryllis red, \$1-\$8 by size. James Stelly, Eunice; (337) 457-4528.

**Wanted:** sprouts of giant bamboo cane, grows 3"-4" in diameter, also old heart of pine/cypress lumber & beams. Glen Stephens, Woodworth; (318) 448-1594.

## FRUITS & VEGETABLES

**New-crop** pecans, large halves, \$5.5/lb.; pieces, \$4.5/lb. at place, will mail both, vacuum packed, \$12/lb. Betty Robin, 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**(200) lbs.** Stuart pecans, in shell, 80¢/lb., will ship COD. E. J. Johnson, Bunkie; (318) 346-6789.

## HAY & GRAIN

**2003 Quality** Jiggs Bermuda, \$3.5/1, in barn; \$4-\$4.5/1 delivered, but not unloaded. Don Bernard, Broussard; (337) 989-9675.

**2003 Bahia & Jiggs** Bermuda, 4x6 rd. bales, \$20/1 for Bahia; \$30/1 for Jiggs, del. \$5/1. Donald Crawford, Broussard; (337) 989-9675.

**Fert. Bahia**, Alicia, 4x5 rd. bales, conditioned, cut & baled, \$20/1. C. M. Duplechan, Jennings; (337) 824-2989.

**4x5 Rd. bales** Bahia hay, heavy fert., in barn, no weeds, horse quality, del. avail., \$30/1, quantity discounts avail. Joe Pieri, Folsom; (985) 796-9538 or (504) 628-5361.

**2003 Bahia** hay, in barn only, \$2.25/1. R. Perieux, St. Martinville; (337) 394-8807.

**2003 Good** clean Alicia hay, \$25/1; Bahia, \$20/1; crab grass hay, \$20/1, (11) 1200 lb. bales. Clifford Myers, Youngsville; (337) 856-6992 or (337) 654-6599.

**6x5 Rd. bales**, \$35/1; pine straw, large bales, \$5/1. Delos Thompson, Folsom; (985) 796-9872.

**2003 Mixed** grass hay, 4x5 bales, baled July & Sept., w/o rain, \$15/1. David McDaniel, Ville Platte; (337) 831-3746 or (337) 461-2499.

**2003 Bahia** sq. bales, in barn, cured w/o rain, \$2.5/1. Larry Roberts, Ponchatoula; (985) 386-2055 or (985) 969-1850.

**2003 Alicia** Bahia 4x5 rd. bales, in barn, \$35/1; cattle mixed grass, \$15/1. Brandy Cella, Bush; (985) 892-0240.

**2003 Mix**, Alicia hay, rd. bales, del. avail., \$20/1; sq. bales, in barn, \$3.25/1. William Delaune, Gonzales; (225) 647-7073.

**2003 Fall** season Bahia hay, excel. quality, well fert. & cured w/o rain, (800) sq. bales, in barn, \$2.5/1; (400) 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1. Ike Nichols, Kinder; (337) 639-2140.

**High quality** 4x4 rd. bales of Bahia hay, fert. & kept in barn, \$20/1. Sonny Ridgell, Tickfaw; (504) 345-1128.

**4x5 ½ rd. bales**, in barn, mixed grass, well cured, w/o rain, \$25/1 or \$20/1 for (4) or more. Charles Leger, Port Barre; (337) 585-7393.

**Kansas Alfalfa** hay, horse quality, \$7.5/1 or \$7/1 for (50) or more. Ivan Edwards, Sr., Ringgold; (318) 894-9586.

**Bahia hay**, rd. bales, fert., last yr., \$10/1 & \$12/1; 2003, \$16/1, we load. Ina Laprarie, Deville; (318) 466-5529.

**2003 Alicia/Bahia/Tifton** 44, 4x5 rd. bales, \$18/1, in field; \$28/1, delivery, \$3.75/mls., haul-

ing to location of farm. Wayne Ward, Saline; 179erma@bell-south.net, (318) 471-9273.

**2003 Mixed** grass, 4x4 bales, kept in barn, baled w/o rain, \$20/1. C. J. Graham, Ponchatoula; (985) 845-3250.

**Premium quality** mulch, machine baled pine straw, in barn, Slidell area, \$4/1. Bruce Wallis, New Orleans; (504) 483-7775.

**Bahia 4x5 rd. bales**, horse quality, cured w/o rain, in barn, \$25/1; cow hay, outside, \$20/1. Homer Dutsch, Bush; (985) 892-4041.

**5x6 Rolls** of rye & clover, \$25/1; Bermuda grass, \$30; heavy rolls, some in barn, del. avail. Bob Shoalmire, Powhatan; (318) 352-0355.

**4x5 Rolls**, common Bermuda, fert., in barn, \$15/1. Hayward Voiselle, Simmesport; (318) 941-2154.

**Argentina Bahia** sq. hay, no weeds, \$2.75/1. Willie Lewis, Montpelier; (225) 777-4880.

**Sq. bales**, fert., clean, cured w/o rain, no weeds, Bahia, \$2.75/1; rye grass, \$3/1. Lew Overton, Slaughter; (225) 654-0086.

**2003 Bahia** hay, 5x5 bales, no rain, well fert., in shed, \$25/1; sq. bales, rye & Jiggs grass, well fert., in barn, no rain, \$2.25/1. Loyton Courville, Sunset; (337) 662-3758.

**Alicia Bermuda** grass hay, clean, fertilized to soil test, sq. bales, \$3.5/1; 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1; cow hay, sq. bales, \$2.5/1, del. avail. Roy Varnado, Jr., Iota; (337) 824-3887.

**2003 Bermuda** hay, well fert., in barn, \$15/1. M. Richard, Iowa; (337) 532-3522.

**Jiggs & Bahia**, 5x5 rd. bales, cured w/o rain, fert., hard bales, \$17-\$20, quantity discounts avail. Miles Briley, Opelousas; (337) 543-2270.

**High quality** Russell Bermuda hay, fert., no rain, '03 hay, sq. bales, \$3/1. Junior Mitchell, Marthaville; (318) 472-8429.

**2003 Quality** Jiggs hay, fert. & cured w/o rain, \$50/3. Jerry Lanclos, Opelousas; (337) 879-2438.

**2003 Shelled** corn, \$7/100 lbs. George Lanclos, Opelousas; (337) 948-9396.

**Alicia Bermuda**, excel. quality, sq. bales, \$3/1; rd. bales, \$15/1, del. avail. Kyle Doucet, Washington; (337) 826-3542.

**Clean fert.** Bahia hay, rd. bales, \$15/1. Henry Blount, Jr., Holden; (225) 777-4376.

## TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

**Ford 8N**, \$2200; Ford 9N, \$2000; Oliver diesel, wide front, 50 hp, \$2200; bush hog, heavy-duty, \$275. Lurry LaBorde, Mansura; (318) 563-4931 or (318) 359-8587.

**Vermeer 605F** baler, excel. cond., \$4500; Roanoke rice cart, 300 barrel, good cond., \$800. Cleveland, Rayne; (337) 334-7842.

**Assorted farm** equipment, some useable for parts, \$1500; 4630 Ford diesel trac., needs work, diesel



engine for 4630 trac., to be rebuilt, \$2500. Jan Bryant, Deville; (318) 466-5635.

**Fordson Dexta** 30 hp diesel trac., w/5' bush hog, \$2600. Timothy Martin, Raceland; (985) 537-4150.

**860 Ford trac.**, gas burner, good lift, runs well, non smoker, 42 hp, 95% rubber, \$3850. Jimmy Pitre, West Monroe; (318) 322-6348.

**Ford 3000** diesel trac., 8 spd., p/s, 40 PTO hp, \$4800; Ford 4000 diesel trac., 8 spd., p/s, 52 PTO hp, \$5400. T. J. Ryan, Marksville; (318) 240-7388.

**Ford 6610** cab trac., 72 PTO hp, 8 spd., p/s, hyd. remotes, \$7900; Ford 3000 diesel trac., 8 spd., 40 PTO hp, \$3900; JD 1020 diesel trac., 8 spd., \$3400. E. Ryan, Marksville; (318) 240-7388.

**4' Bush hog**, good cond., \$250; JD 70 diesel, \$4000. Darien Milton, Albany; (225) 567-5817.

**1999 NH 3930**, 45 hp, w/turbo, rear hyd., 950 hrs., like new, \$10,900. R. Robinson, Alexandria; (318) 443-3812.

**1995 Komatsu** D58-P dozer, new tracks, sprocket, roller & cutter blade, new paint, good cond., 5400 hrs., \$30,000. L. Prestonback, Houma; (985) 868-9019.

**(2) Bridger planters**, w/toolbar, \$300; Howze 6' bush hog, 90 hp, gearbox, \$600; homemade trailer, truck bed, rusty, frame good, \$100. Pat Rawls, Albany; (225) 567-2625.

**NH 1010 bale** wagon, \$3000; NH 849 rd. baler, \$3500; NH 315 sq. baler, \$3000; Kuhn 8' disc mower, \$2800, all in very good cond.; MF 255 trac., 52 hp, w/Great Bend 440 loader, w/7' bucket & hay spear, \$11,500. Raymond Rawls, Albany; (225) 567-2625.

**6-71 Detroit** diesel, rebuilt, used on water well, \$4000. Michael Daigle, Branch; (337) 224-0501 or (337) 684-6674.

**9' Case spring** (2) on wheels, \$300; 9' cut away disc, on wheels, \$300; 9' Int. hay cutter, \$300; complete set for dual 1586 Int. trac. tires, 20-8-38, good cond., \$500. Jack Bamburg, Mamou; (337) 468-3328.

**1991 Dunham** log hog, log loader, excel. cond., \$7500. Keith Zeringue, Thibodaux; (985) 447-6217.

**JD 4840 cab/air**, p/s trans., \$16,000; JD 26' 235 disc, \$3600; W & A 8-row folding roller, \$3700; Ferguson spin ditcher, 3 pt. hitch, \$700. Derek Dauzat, Marksville; (318) 253-5386.

**Diesel Ford** Dexter trac., \$1200; 5' bush hog, good working cond., \$200. Murphy Broussard, Sunset; (337) 662-3177.

**Yanmar diesel** trac., 1700, 21 hp, 8 spd., hi & low range, 3 PTO speeds, A-1 cond., w/4' disc, \$3500. Joe LeJeune, Opelousas; (337) 948-6444.

**Red Farmall** cub, w/Woods mower, 12 volt, new paint, \$1350; Ford Golden Jubilee, runs & looks good, \$2100; Kubota L1500, needs trans., \$500. T. Herrington, Kentwood; (985) 229-5156.

**JD 6-row** hipers, sandblasted, painted, excel. cond., w/row markers, \$800. David Harvey, Lecompte; (318) 443-4852.

**Ford 1500** diesel trac., \$1300; Ford 1600 diesel trac., \$2000; Ford

1715 diesel, w/ROPS, \$4500; Land Pride 4' finishing mower, \$450; Ford 8N '52, 12 volt, \$1650; IH 784 diesel, p/s & remote, \$4700; IH 484 diesel, w/5' modern cutter, \$5200. R. Coldiron, Jonesville; (318) 339-7876.

**Drill your** own water well, up to 500', failing 43SA, diesel powered, w/hyd., on portable skid mount, \$13,500, or trade or finance. Edgar Fowler, Pineville; (318) 445-2977.

**JD grain** drill, \$250; seeder/fert. distributor, 3 pt. hitch, \$150. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**Woods 120**, 10' 5" 3 pt. shredder, fair cond., \$1500; Sidewinder shredder, 7', 3 pt. hookup, good cond., \$1000. Pierre Broussard, Maurice; (337) 984-9495.

**'96 -'97 Case** 580 SK backhoe, low hrs., \$18,500; NH 1044 auto bale wagon, (120) bale capacity, \$5200; JD 336 sq. hay baler \$2750. J. R. Coldiron, Jonesville; (318) 729-3441.

**5' Woods finishing** mower, good cond., \$400; 5' disc, like new, \$400. Ezell Mansfield, Folsom; (985) 796-5693.

**1944 Massey Harris** 101 Junior row crop trac., for parts or restoration, not running, \$400. Tommy Duke, Dubach; (318) 255-3158.

**Antique JD** Kilefer 506-05, tandem disc harrow, \$200 cash. Kathy Duke, Dubach; (318) 255-3158.

**8' Rhino grader** blade, very good cond., w/cyl., \$850. Loyton Courville, Sunset; (337) 662-3758.

**(2) Tires**, new tubes & wheels, fits Ford, 18.4-38, heavy-duty R2, in storage, \$1000/both. Bill Barattini, Metairie; (504) 885-8000.

**580-C Case** backhoe, \$9500; 5000 lb. Clark forklift, \$1500. James Sharp, Springfield; (225) 695-3341.

**8' Vicon fluffer** rake combo, \$250; small 3 pt. dirt scoop, \$200; NH side delivery rake, \$200; IH side delivery rake, \$200. Glen Bruce, Reeves; (337) 666-2239.

**410 JD backhoe**, w/loader, runs & works well, motor, trans & reverser rebuilt, \$13,500. Tommy Moses, DeRidder; (337) 463-9336.

**IH 1100** feed mill, crusher & mixer on wheels, mobile, w/auger, operates off PTO, shed kept, excel. cond., \$2800. G. Perron, Opelousas; (337) 942-5272.

**4850 JD trac.**, '84, (2) wheel positive traction, air/radio, 195 hp, \$14,000. Doug Cox, Baton Rouge; (225) 241-9809 or (225) 753-8277.

**Ford 3600**, 40 hp, runs well, w/5' bush hog, & 5' disc, \$4650 obo. Pat Burmaster, Folsom; (985) 796-5123.

**JD popping** 40 tricycle, 12 volt, rebuilt motor, new clutch, throw-out barren & pressure plate, runs great, \$1500 obo. Charles Casanova, Holden; (225) 294-2585.

**Ag-Bagger** silo press, 8'x150' bags, holds 150 tons of silage or ensilage, good cond., ready, \$2900. Bill Fuller, Kinder; (337) 738-2522 or (337) 224-4560.

**MF 135 diesel**, new engine overhaul, new paint, excel. cond., \$4900. Brett Frazier, Kentwood; (225) 262-4395.

**JD 6200**, 66 hp, w/12 spd. Syncro-plus trans., cab/air & radio,

new rear tires, 5000 hrs., used only in hay field, extra clean, excel. cond., \$19,500; Kuhn 600, 8' hay cutter, used (2) seasons, very clean, excel. cond., \$4800. Ike Nichols, Kinder; (337) 639-2140.

**14' Pull-type** grader blade on 20" tires, \$600; 4-row JD 51 planter, 3 pt. hitch, 4x7 tool bar, w/insecticide boxes, \$350. Donald Johnson, Hessmer; (318) 346-6789.

**4-Row potato** planter, \$200; 2-row potato planter, \$300; 2-row potato digger, \$300; potato cutter, \$150; 10' forklift mask, w/forks, \$300; forklift paper squeeze, \$400; 80' Howard tiller, \$700. Bob Bowles, DeRidder; (337) 328-8702.

**JD 690B excavator**, excel. cond., \$22,000; Koering bantam excavator, \$18,000; Caterpillar D-6B dozer, \$12,000; JD 4430 trac., \$3900, others avail. Robert Gravois, Thibodaux; (985) 637-3900.

**3 Pt. hitch** hayforks, w/hyd. lift & spear, will lift any size bales, \$400. John Briscoe, Elton; (337) 584-2751.

**7' Kuhn hay** cutter, good cond., \$2875; 970 Case trac., 85 hp, dual remote, good tires, starts & runs well, \$8000. Whitney Champagne, St. Martinville; (337) 845-4125.

**JD quick** hitch, Cat 3, \$200; front-end loader, pallet forks, \$200; MM-HD 800 power unit, \$600; MM power unit drive shaft, \$350. Randall Johnson, Rayne; (337) 523-1140.

**Ford 8N**, perfect cond., built for hi-crop, convert to 12 volt system, \$2000. Lawrence Broussard, Erath; (337) 937-5435.

**Old JD (2)** cyl. trac., w/3 pt. hookup & belly mower, w/extra new deck, \$2200. Mitch Perrodin, Ville Platte; (337) 599-2018.

**166 Batam** excavator, needs work, \$4200. Wayne Sharp, Springfield; (225) 294-3507.

**(2) Firestone** 13.6 x 28 all traction 8 ply R1 tires, w/tubes, good shape, no holes, \$250/all; (1) Firestone F2, 7.5 x 16, w/tube, no holes, good shape, \$25. Bryan O., Lockport; (985) 966-3883.

**JD trac.**, 1950's, \$2500. Dennis Lang, Franklinton; (985) 839-0247.

**1988 Case IH** 1680 combine, w/20' header, 1300.7 hrs., new GY 30.5L-32 tires, clean, good shape, \$35,000. Bradley Reed, Iota; (337) 224-8111.

**Ford 3000**, good cond., good tires, new battery, new grill, runs good, \$4750. Roger Hornsby, Baton Rouge; (225) 272-2522.

**15 Butler rice** bins, to be moved, free. Donald Romero, Iowa; (337) 588-4278.

**Early '60s model** Ford 4 cyl. diesel trac., w/bush hog & blade, \$3250. Buddy Eznack, Ball; (318) 640-0847.

**16' Rayne Plane** water leveler, like new, \$3000; 16' JD chisel plow, w/leveling harrow, \$1250. Larry Miller, Church Point; (337) 684-2754.

**Crustbuster grain** drill, excel. cond., \$1500; W&A 8-row hipper w/orthman row markers, excel. cond., \$2600; irrigation pumps, 6" x 8", trailer mounted, PTO driven, excel. cond., \$1500. Bobby Denton, Jena; (318) 992-4504.

**IH 715 good** shape, \$1000.

Shaun Peck, Arnaudville; (337) 945-2700.

**JD 1050 trac.**, 4x4, '87 model, 35 hp, 2100 hrs., (2) hydro remotes & PTO, w/top, \$7000. Kyle Fontenot, Mamou; (337) 599-2833.

**Tree planting** machines, light med. & heavy-duty, \$500-\$2500. Glen Stephens, Woodworth; (318) 448-1594.

**Prime 3-blade** levee plow, like new, \$1200. Steve Lacombe, Lecompte; (318) 448-6267.

**Cult., (1) complete** set, front & rear to fit Farmall cub, \$300 ; IH belly mower, to fit Farmall cub, new deck, \$300 cash. Johnny Tulbert, DeQuincy; (337) 786-2727.

**Lawn mower**, 20 hp, Toro Proline 620Z, zero, twin hydro, good cond., 42", \$1200. Eugene Beyl, Covington; (985) 892-1075.

**IH 1-row** corn & bean planter, \$100. Joe Johnson, Jennings; (337) 824-7591.

**62' 8" Bazooka**, PTO drive, \$250; (2) Stir-alls, DMC, w/motors & augers, \$250. M. Richard, Lake Charles; (337) 532-3522.

**(2) Roan wheel** housing & axles, \$150/both; hyd. pump & control, \$75; Farmall trac., side motor type. Grant Walsh, Destrehan; (985) 764-6609.

**Wanted:** IH 1468 or 1568 in running cond. or not. Shaun Peck, Arnaudville; (337) 945-2700.

**Wanted:** JD 155 grader blade. Doug Dorhauer, Denham Springs; (225) 665-2788.

**Wanted:** 450-Case dozers, in any shape, whole or in parts. P.R. Krantz, Krotz Springs; (337) 566-3518.

**Wanted:** 12' or 15' JD or Bush Hog brand shredder, pull or 3 pt. type hookup. Pierre Broussard, Maurice; (337) 984-9495.

**Wanted:** Lincoln grease pump, air operated, fits on top of a (5) gal. bucket of grease. Robert Lemaster, Summit, MS; (601) 684-4540.

**Wanted:** head for 244 Int. 3 cyl. diesel, model #22800083. Joseph Lachney, Centerpoint; (318) 484-9083.

**Wanted:** NH rd. baler, model# 852, for parts. Coy Fitch, Jeanerette; (337) 276-5991.

## FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

**1984 GMC** ¾-ton diesel, slide-in camper, sleeps four, \$1200; '86 Ford F-150 extra motor, \$300. Bob Bowles, DeRidder; (337) 328-8702.

**1994 Z-71** extended cab, excel. cond., sprayed in bed liner, tool box, towing hitch, new ac, good tires, (1) owner, \$6300 nego. Cedric Rabalais, Cottonport; (318) 964-2971.

**2001 F-150** crew cab, Lariat, 4x4, 90K miles, \$18,900, will take older truck, 4-wheeler or farm equip. on trade; '96 Int. long nose sleeper, 10 spd., Detroit, nice truck, \$14,900. Buddy Lucky, III, Bossier City; (318) 453-5685.

**Toyota 22R** engine & 5 spd. trans., motor has a knock, \$350. Susan Guillot, Kenner; (504) 552-3775.

**1996 Chevrolet** S10 ext cab, ac,

new radio, CD player, automatic, large V6, excel. cond., (1) owner, \$5500. Joel Carr, Ruston; (318) 255-6279.

**1997 Ford F-250 XLT**, extended cab, diesel, \$11,000. Lawrence Babineaux, Iowa; (337) 582-5014.

**1991 Isuzu 1-ton** diesel flatbed truck, auto, 229K miles, runs good, \$2600, w/o bed, \$2000. William Basco, Flatwoods; (318) 793-2055.

**1999 Ford** 1-ton dually, excel. cond., 84,000 miles, crew cab, air, power, 7.3 turbo manual 6 spd., \$16,695. Bill Fuller, Kinder; (337) 738-2522 or (337) 224-4560.

**1997 Ford** 250, 7.3 diesel, manual trans., 2 dr., bench seat, good cond., \$8000. Elmo Smith, Oberlin; (337) 639-2480.

**(2) 1979 Int.** Scouts, (1) new hunter green paint job, new camo interior, new tires, runs well, (1) for parts. Wyatt Bryant, Leesville; (337) 537-2423.

**JD Trail Gator**, \$3700. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**1991 Ford F-700** diesel, 6 spd., w/winch bed & gin poles & rolling tail board, 112,000 miles, \$8900; 411 ring & pinion, to fit late model Chevy, \$100; Chevy 350 exhaust manifold, \$100. Morris Pitre, Opelousas; (337) 543-7289.

**1997 S-10** Chevy ext. cab, excel. cond., new tires, timing chain, good truck, new head & alternator, \$3300; '02 Sierra GMC, V8, auto, towing, extra leaf in spring, 255 x 70-16 tires, 40,000 miles, bed liner & rails, \$13,900. Marlin Bailey, Ville Platte; (337) 599-2865.

**Toolbox for** W/S pickup, aluminum U.W.S. opens from both ends, \$130. Eugene Beyl, Covington; (985) 892-1075.

**1990 Ford F-450** flatbed, diesel, 5 spd., good cond., no leaks, new tires & ac, 155,000 miles, runs great, \$5750. R. Hebert, Breaux Bridge; (337) 332-5474.

**1993 Ford** Ranger F-150 XLT, 2 wd, LWB, 5th wheel, loaded ext. cab, w/deluxe camper, carpeted floor, like new, \$5300. Jim White, Castor; (318) 544-2356.

**1997 Ford** F-350 pickup bed w/headache rack & toolbox, \$500/both. Bob Shoalmire, Powhatan; (318) 352-0355.

**Combination boom** truck, w/factory bucket, \$4000; 5000 lb. Clark forklift, \$1500. James Sharp, Springfield; (225) 695-3341.

**Wanted:** complete engine Chevrolet 454 or bigger, also mail jeep, in good running cond., within 100 miles of Amite. Milton Capdeboscq, Amite; (985) 748-4374.

**Wanted:** 48-53 Chevrolet or GMC ½-ton or ¾-ton pickup for parts. J. Navratilova, Baton Rouge; (225) 752-7992.

## TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

**2-Horse** WW trailer, needs work, \$400; slide-in overhead camper sleeps 4, \$600. Buddy Eznack, Ball; (318) 640-0847.

**(35) Cotton trailers**, 8'-10' wide, 24'-40' long, excel. for hay trailers or storing crawfish traps,

good to excel. cond., del. avail., \$500-\$1450. T. L. Enright, Sr., Sicily Island; (318) 389-5395.

**1992 WW** 2-horse slant, w/sleeping quarters, insulated, refrigerator, ac, carpet, teakwood floors, dropdown windows, rear tack, \$4000. Diane Swido, Marksville; (318) 466-3617.

**Haughton show** cart, \$1500; Jarell show cart, \$550; 4-wheel carriage w/fringe top, \$21100. Frank Orlando, Metairie; (504) 733-1680.

**33' Dual tandem** drop float trailer, \$6000; Massart winch truck bed, 5th wheel, dove & rolling tail, \$400; light duty 5th wheel receiver hitch, \$150/all obo. Ken Ogea, Lake Charles; (337) 598-2689.

**Gooseneck, 4-horse** stock trailer, w/loading ramp, covered, \$1500 obo. John Broussard, Erath; (337) 937-5697.

**1987 UTL Reefer**, 48x102, (8) new tires, Thermoking cycle centry unit, inside floor & walls, no damage, food grade, excel. cond., \$8000. Gene Choplin, Broussard; (337) 394-5918.

**Miniature & pony** carts, \$375; miniature & pony harness, \$1500. Danton Cunningham, Albany; (225) 567-9594.

**CM, 3-horse** slant load, bumper bull, walk-in tack, \$2300. Pat Burmaster, Folsom; (985) 796-5123.

**31' long, 8'6"** wide, 7' high, 6-horse trailer, removable partitions, large tack room, 10kw gen., 40-gal. fuel tank, '01 model, \$10,500. Whitney Romero, Abbeville; (337) 893-4607.

**24' WWW** gooseneck cattle trailer, 32" gooseneck cattle trailer, both in good cond., \$3000. Ralph Robinson, Ida; (318) 284-3530.

**Horse-drawn** buggy, \$500. Jimmie Netherlin, Pineville; (318) 445-1396.

**Stock trailer**, 16', like new, \$3700. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**Shop made** trailer, mobile home axles, 19'x7' bed, new floor, excel. cond., \$700. Raymond Rawls, Albany; (225) 567-2625.

**34' cotton** wagons, \$800/1. Randall Johnson, Rayne; (337) 523-1140.

**Wanted:** bumper-pull, flat bed low boy trailer, 19'-20', 6' 10" or 6' 11", 6000-7000 lb. axles, in very good cond. Loyton Courville, Sunset; (337) 662-3758.

**Wanted:** 3' high box type camper top for long bed. John Dallas, New Iberia; (337) 367-3547.

**Wanted:** manure shredder, in good cond., trac. type or pulled by ATV. Clay Champagne, New Iberia; (337) 364-1398.



**4000 sq. ft.** shade cloth for greenhouse, \$400. Darien Milton, Albany; (225) 567-5817.

**New set Draft** parade harnesses, 29" collar, \$1100. Buddy Eznack, Ball; (318) 640-0847.

**50-gal. rd.** saddle tank, \$500; 500-gal. fuel tank on skids, w/elec. pump, \$400. Morris Pitre, Opelousas; (337) 543-7289.

**Okra cutters**, hand operated, \$90/1-up; custom-made motorized cutters, \$450/1-up, advanced deposit required. Franklin Courville, Opelousas; (337) 407-0188.

**Round pen**, constructed of fiberglass material, each panel is 5' x 12', 50' rd. pen, w/o bow gate, \$995; add panels as needed, \$77/1. Larry Fontenot, Lake Charles; (337) 855-0629.

**Fiberglass farm** gates, \$73/10'; \$79/12'. Deb Fontenot, Lake Charles; (337) 855-0629.

**(2) 600 lb. sandpots;** (2) 10-gal. spray pots, w/hoses & puns; APR 300' blasting hoses; APR 300' air hoses & misc. equip., \$3500 obo; 6000 lb. fork lift, \$2500. Jerry Kratzer, Roanoke; (337) 753-2327.

**Sausage stuffer**, \$175; U.S. cavalry harness, \$100; very old corn sheller, \$150. Jimmie Netherlin, Pineville; (318) 445-1396.

**Completely mobilized** hyd. con-

veyor belt, 18" width, 4 cyl. Wisconsin engine, reaches up to 85'-150', folds up to tow behind pickup, \$3000 obo. W.C. Brister, Metairie; (504) 456-6530.

**550-gal. galv.** tank on skids, \$100; 4-row JD 51 planter, 3 pt. hitch, 4x7 tool bar, w/insecticide boxes, \$350. Donald Johnson, Hessmer; (318) 346-6789.

**1000-Gal. sq.** stell fuel tank on skids, \$175. Maurice Castania, Arnaudville; (337) 754-5510.

**2 3/8"** tubing, 75¢/ft.; 2 7/8" tubing, 80¢/ft.; 3 1/2", 90¢/ft.; 7" casing, \$5/ft.; 8 5/8" casing, \$6/ft. Gene Denton, Jena; (318) 992-4504.

**Sausage stuffer**, cast iron, like new, 1 1/2-gal., \$225; 2-gal., \$250. Curtis Stelly, Fardoche; (225) 637-3375 or (225) 625-4580.

**New galv.** panels, w/mud boots, 40' rd. pen, \$525; 50' rd. pen, \$625; 60' rd. pen, \$775; all include 4' bow gate. Michael Passman, Amite; (985) 748-5094.

**(6) Utility poles**, 35' long, \$1.5/ft. Bob Shoalmire, Powhatan; (318) 352-0355.

**Heavy-grade** steel tanks, 8' x 10', used for liquid feed, all discharge connections, \$100; (1) 500-gal. steel tank, good shape, \$50. Tim Johnson, Ville Platte; (337) 363-7570 or (337) 363-0187.

**Roping saddles**, Hereferd, Simco, Circle Y, excel. cond., \$375/1-up. Charles Casanova, Holden; (225) 294-2585.

**Heartwood comm.**, portable band saw, 2-way cut, 6" dbl. edged blade, 80 hp Perkins tandem axles, 500 hrs., portable diesel mill, \$29,500. Herbert M. LeJeune, Oakdale; (337) 639-2953.

**New galv.** corral panels, 5' x 10', \$40; 40' rd. pens, \$575; 50', \$675; 60', \$775, all w/6' ride-through gate. Carl Barlow, Pride; (225) 603-6610.

**3' x 7' Drag** harrow, built with 2 3/8" pipe, 2-rows of 5" teeth on bottom, built on 3 pt. hitch, good for rd. pens & arenas, \$250. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; (337) 652-6200.

**3 Phase elec.** motors, 20-200 hp, \$5/per hp; 6"-26" pipe, \$2.5/ft. &

up; 5 hp Honda 2" water pump, w/hoses, \$300; portable engine hoist, 2 spd. ram & extendable boom, \$150; 200 amp Lincoln welder, w/200' leads, \$2500. M. Pitre, Opelousas; (337) 543-7289.

**Craftsman air** compressor, 4 hp, 220 volt, 20-gal. tank, \$150; used tin roofing, 18' long, approx. 80 sheets, \$5/1. Raymond Rawls, Albany; (225) 567-2625.

**Structural steel** pipe, 4" OD, \$2/ft.; 4 1/2" & 5" OD, \$3/ft.; 30'-40' lengths. F. E. Van Hook, Arcadia; (318) 263-2307.

**Sawmill, w/50"** circular saw & 12' carriage, \$2500. John Briscoe, Elton; (337) 584-2751.

**Grain silo**, 12-tons, w/auger & motor, \$750. Susan Guillot, Kenner; (504) 552-3775.

**(2) Used sheet** metal, 4' x 8' x 1/4", \$75/1. Harry Allan, Ponchatoula; (985) 386-8260.

**(2) Horse-drawn**, single row side harrows, iron handles, needs painting, \$30/1; (3) turnbuckles, 48" extended, new galv., \$10/1. Joseph Costanza, Hammond; (985) 345-6743.

**Semen tank**, used very little, \$250/firm; brush cutter, 12"-14" saw blade, works well, \$100/firm. Bobby Alost, Natchitoches; (318) 201-6085.

**New "I" beam**, 17' 8" x 4" x 6", 3/8" steel, bought by mistake, \$60. Al O'Brien, Ethel; borue@directway.com or (225) 683-9477.

**Deep water** well, new tank & water softener, \$100. Clifton Broussard, Church Point; (337) 942-6894.

**(80) 55-gal.** metal drums w/bungs, contained nothing toxic or hazardous, \$5/1. Wiley Aultman, DeQuincy; (337) 786-6371.

**River Road** liquid feed, formerly J. M. liquid feed, \$1.1/gal. Lynne or Trase Satcher, Denham Springs; (225) 665-8355 or (225) 665-6265.

**Gould Jet 1"** water well pump, less than 2 yrs., 1 hp, w/new bottom jet packet filter assembly, less than 2 mos., kept in pump house, \$275. Ed Dugas, Carencro;

ead9743@louisiana.edu or (337) 896-4335.

**New Craftsman** 12" wood turning lathe, w/copy crafter, \$150. Ernest Cook, Covington; (985) 892-7058.

**Anvils, 50#**, \$225; 80#, \$275.; 20#, sausage stuffer, \$300/1. Gary Hebert, Sr., Gonzales; (225) 647-4073 or (888) 772-9461.

**Wanted:** South Bend lathe(s), parts or attachments, medium size crescent bandsaw. Greg DeKeyser, New Iberia; (337) 367-0214.



**Goat milk** soap, handmade, skin soothing, many varieties, all natural ingredients, \$4/5-6 oz. bar. Kathleen Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

**Wood burning** stove/heater, w/flue, (2) plate stovetop, \$100. R. LaBorde, Hessmer; (318) 563-4566.

**Antique cast** iron stove, \$75; pr. 1850s fireplace & andrions, \$75; (2) Victorian summer fronts w/coal grates, for fireplace mantles, excel. cond., \$100/1. P. Reynaud, Convent; (225) 562-0255.

**Cast Iron**, 14" plantation bell, complete, \$60; cast iron 10-qt. jambalaya pot w/cover, \$85. Henry Smith, Covington; (985) 892-0460.

**Old blk. iron** pots, \$200; plantation bell, \$450. Gary Hebert, Sr., Gonzales; (225) 647-4073 or (888) 772-9461.

**Wanted:** old gristmill or millstones, any size. Richard Eaves, Demopolis, AL; (334) 289-8906, raleaves@email.com.

**Wanted:** old sugar kettles. Kathy, Baton Rouge; (225) 261-8739 or (225) 938-9366.

**Wanted:** old sugar kettles, can be chipped, but no cracks, any size. Gary Hebert, Sr., Gonzales; (225) 647-4073 or (888) 772-9461.

**Wanted:** old slot machine, Coke machine, games, etc. Ray, Baton Rouge; (225) 261-8739 or (225) 938-9366.

# Elk hunting: In a state near you

By Larry Michaud  
Louisiana Market Bulletin

It has been more than 150 years since Arkansas residents had the opportunity to hunt elk in the Ozark highlands.

Each year since 1999 thousands of Arkansas sportsmen and women have filled out the paperwork for one of 25 hunting permits selected in a lottery for a chance to bag the continental U.S.'s most prestigious game animal.

It has been a long, tough pull, spanning some 70 years, as Arkansas wildlife experts worked to restock the woodlands with the magnificent elk.

Most Americans know the story of the American buffalo, which once covered the high plains of the Midwest by the tens of millions. According to first hand accounts, individual herds in the hundreds of thousands could be seen like a dark blanket stretching for miles across the amber plains. By the late 1800s they were nearly extinct, shot largely for their hides, the meat left to rot on the prairie.

But few are aware that the same story, during the same period, was playing itself out for the

American elk. When Europeans first came to this country there were an estimated 10 million elk ranging from Upper Canada and the West through central Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia.

Millions of the great beasts were killed from the time the West was opened to the end of the 1800s. From several small herds remaining in Wyoming at the beginning of the 1900s, elk were reintroduced into a number of western states. By the 1950s, management programs enabled the population to rise in the western states to nearly 300,000. Today they number

about one million.

The most recent reintroduction of elk into the wild in an eastern state has been in Kentucky where a program to restore the elk herd began in 2000.

From the 1840s when the eastern elk became extinct in Arkansas, it was not until the 1930s that the state attempted to restock the state with the large deer species. And though the Arkansas story holds the greatest promise for the potential of reintroduction into the wilds of Louisiana, it has not been a seamless process.

Arkansas first attempted to resurrect its elk herds in 1933

when three bulls and eight cows from Oklahoma were released. The population grew to 125 by 1948. The herd increased to an estimated 200 by the mid 1950s and then vanished.

To this day no one can account for the sudden disappearance. Speculation is that it was a combination of illegal hunting, natural mortality and loss of suitable habitat.

Nothing more was attempted until 1981. Between then and 1985, 112 elk from Colorado and Nebraska were released in five public lands along the Buffalo National River. Some of those animals and their descendants roam today along the Buffalo River corridor on 315,000 acres of both public and private lands.

The population has mounted steadily and the most recent count estimates the herds along the river corridor at about 450 animals. Largely because of these efforts, a select group of lucky sportsmen have a chance to take to the woods in one of the most challenging types of hunts anywhere.

As noted elk hunter and outdoor writer Jim Zumbo said in his book "Elk Hunting," "These are unquestionably the 'good old days' of elk hunting; for more than 150 years, it's never been better."

